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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director, Office of Current Intelligence  
SUBJECT : Developments in the Cuban Cruise Missile System

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cruise missile transporters and related equipment have been sighted at a new coastal defense cruise missile site at Guanabo near Havana. This equipment probably came from the vacated site at Guanajay. The new site, Guanabo's second, was first observed under construction [redacted]

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2. [redacted] Cuba had four coastal defense cruise missile sites at Guanabo, Santa Cruz del Morte, Guanajay, and Sigüanea on the Isle of Pines. [redacted] photography revealed that the Sigüanea site had been abandoned and that a second site was under construction at Guanabo.

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[redacted] revealed that the Guanajay site had also been abandoned. [redacted]

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3. The Cuban coastal defense cruise missile system is probably undergoing a redeployment similar to that which the

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4. We believe the Cubans had about 80 cruise missiles divided among the four original coastal defense sites. These missiles have a long shelf life because of the nature of their propulsion system. It is unlikely that the missile transporters spotted at the Guanabo site during the [REDACTED] mission carry new additions to the Cuban cruise missile inventory.

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